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### COLUMN 2

Line 27, "utterned" should read --uttered--.

### COLUMN 3

Line 48, "embodiment 4" should read --embodiment (4)--.

### COLUMN 5

Line 27, "pheneme" should read --phoneme--.

Line 39, "portio" should read --portion--.

### COLUMN 10

Line 51, "maybe" should read -- may be--.

### COLUMN 11

Line 36, "pheneme" should read --phoneme--.

Line 43, "pheneme" should read --phoneme--.

### COLUMN 16

Line 12, "synthesize" should read --synthesizes--.

### COLUMN 17

Line 50, "kindes" should read --kinds--.

### COLUMN 18

Line 49, "portions 905" should read --portion 905--.

Line 51, "four the" should read --fourth--.

### COLUMN 20

Line 36, "convers action" should read --conversation--.

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### COLUMN 23

Line 1, "appointing" should read --a pointing--.

### COLUMN 24

Line 27, "where t1" should read --where t0--.

Line 47, "for for" should read --for--.

Line 49, "for for" should read --for--.

Line 56, "for for" should read --for--.

Line 58, "for for" should read --for--.

### COLUMN 28

Line 63, "become" should read --becomes--.

### COLUMN 29

Line 20, "store" should read --stored--.

Line 35, "If" should read --Of--.

Line 48, "down load," should read --download,--.

Line 58, "realize" should read --realized--.

### COLUMN 30

Line 57, "plurality" should read --plurality of--.

### COLUMN 32

Line 29, "plurality" should read --plurality of--.

### COLUMN 33

Line 55, "waveforms s" should read --waveforms--.

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### COLUMN 34

Line 8, "plurality" should read --plurality of--.

Line 11, "the overlap" should read --overlap--.

Line 20, "waveforms s" should read --waveforms--.

Line 48, "waveforms s" should read --waveforms--.

Line 62, "the text" should read --text--.

### **COLUMN 35**

Line 5, "s overlap" should read --overlap--.

Line 10, "waveforms s" should read --waveforms--.

Line 30, "plurality text" should read --plurality of text--.

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Line 4, "waveforms s" should read --waveforms--. Line 36, "waveforms s" should read --waveforms--.

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